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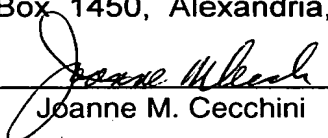
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RESPONSE

Sir:

In Response to the Office Action mailed September 28, 2006, please consider the Applicant's amendments and remarks as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.